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Dear Dick:

The close up photographs of the cartridges CE 141, 543, 544, 545, & 557 arrived this afternoon. They are fairly good pictures but not quite up to the standards of those I sent to you of my cartridges before and after firing.

The shoulders and necks of these cartridges do not have the machine marks that mine do. Therefore if fired in Mr. Oswald's gun his gun has a more carefully bored chamber than mine. It does appear that the cartridges were fired in a gun (his?) and that the cartridges were loaded at the time because the wounded shoulders and necks of unfired cartridges are now sharp. This, of course, does not negate the fact that the dents in the shoulder occurred after they were fired. *Empty*

Our photographer is making duplicates of these pictures which I will forward soon as ready.

Sincerely,



John Nichols

cc: Harold W